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TO AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

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FROM NEA/ARN: THEROS FOR MICHAUD

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP, ETDR, SY, US

SUBJECT: DAMASCUS FAIR QUOTAS

1. ROGER MCCAULEY (USDOC) TOLD ME, YOU NEEDED GUIDANCE ON QUOTAS.
  2. AS GENERAL GUIDANCE EACH TARIFF ITEM IS RESTRICTED TO 30,000 SYRIAN POUND QUOTA. HADAYA AND AYOUBI (FRIDIDAIRE) WILL ALREADY SPLIT MOST OF THIS FOR HOME REFRIGERATORS. WE STILL HAD (AT TIME MY DEPARTURE) SPARE QUOTA FOR COMMERCIAL REFRIGERATORS, STOVES, WASHING MACHINES. WE HAVE NO QUOTA LEFT OVER FOR BEER AND ANY CANNED OR PRESERVED FOOD ITEMS.
  3. YOU SHOULD NOT OFFER ANY FURTHER QUOTA ON HOME REFRIGERATORS OR FOODSTUFFS AND BEER. YOU CAN GET IN ONE MORE PARTICIPANT ON COMMERCIAL REFRIGERATORS, STOVES AND WASHING MACHINES. IF HADAYA WANTS MORE SPACE MAKE SURE HIS MAN UNDERSTANDS HIS PROMISE TO DECORATE BOOTH AS A KITCHEN--NOT MAKE STATIC DISPLAY. VANCE
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